# STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES Land Division

Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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Grant of Term, Non-Exclusive Easement to Thomas R. Brayton and Christine D. Brayton for Seawall Purposes, Lahaina, Maui, Tax Map Key: (2)4-6-003:seaward of 005.

# APPLICANT:

Thomas R. Brayton and Christine D. Brayton, husband and wife, as tenants by the entirety, whose mailing address is 450 Front Street, Lahaina, Hawaii 96761.

# LEGAL REFERENCE:

Section 171-13 and -53(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended.

# LOCATION:

Portion of Government land located seaward of Lahaina, Maui, identified by Tax Map Key: (2)4-6-003: seaward of 005, as shown on the attached map labeled Exhibit "A."

#### AREA:

69 square feet, more or less.

#### ZONING:

State Land Use District: Conservation / Urban County of Maui CZO: R-3

# TRUST LAND STATUS:

Section 5(b) lands of the Hawaii Admission Act

DHHL 30% entitlement lands pursuant to the Hawaii State Constitution: YES  $\_$  NO X

# CURRENT USE STATUS:

Unencumbered with encroachments.

#### CHARACTER OF USE:

Right, privilege and authority to use, maintain, repair, replace and remove existing seawall over, under and across State-owned land.

#### COMMENCEMENT DATE:

To be determined by the Chairperson.

# CONSIDERATION:

One-time payment to be determined by independent or staff appraisal establishing fair market rent, subject to review and approval by the Chairperson.

#### EASEMENT TERM:

Fifty-five (55) years.

#### CHAPTER 343 - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

During a recent site visit, Office of Conservation and Coastal Lands (OCCL) staff observed the subject seawall and determined it appeared to be built before 1974, prior to the enactment of the EIS law and this action is therefore exempt from Ch. 343.

# DCCA VERIFICATION:

Not applicable. The Applicant as a landowner is not required to register with DCCA.

#### APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant shall be required to:

- 1) Pay for an appraisal to determine one-time payment.
- 2) Provide survey maps and descriptions according to State DAGS standards at Applicant's own cost.
- 3) Remove any barriers (fences, overgrown vegetation, railings, signs, etc.) established beyond the Applicant's property that may prevent lateral access by the public over state lands.
- 4) Comply with all County of Maui Special Management Area and Shoreline rules and requirements.
- 5) Conduct an Archaeological Inventory Survey and submit to the State Historic Preservation Division for review.
- 6) If pursuant to Archaeological Inventory Survey the seawall is determined to be over 50 years old. The seawall shall be documented and issued a number for the State's Inventory of Historical Places list.

# REMARKS:

The subject encroachment was discovered during the shoreline certification process filed by the previous owner of the abutting property, Mr. Stan Dunn. A copy of the shoreline survey map referencing the subject encroachment is attached as Exhibit "B." Mr. Dunn submitted notarized affidavits and aerial photographs indicating the seawall was built prior to 1964.

The Office of Conservation and Coastal Lands (OCCL) has determined that removal of the encroachment will not improve beach resources or enhance public access. OCCL has no objections to the subject easement request.

Summary of solicited comments:

Agency	Comments
DHHL	No comment
County of Maui,	Comply with SMA and Shoreline
Dept of Planning	rules
County of Maui,	No Comment
Public Works	
State Historic	Conduct Archaeological
Preservation Div.	Inventory Survey
ОНА	Appraise at fair market value
	and maintain public access
	over public lands
OCCL	No objections

Pursuant to the Board's action of June 28, 2002, under agenda item D-17 which established criteria for imposing fines for encroachments, staff recommends no fine as the subject encroachment is less than 100 square feet.

Applicant has not had a lease, permit, easement or other disposition of State lands terminated within the last five years due to non-compliance with such terms and conditions.

There are no other issues or concerns.

#### RECOMMENDATION: That the Board:

- 1. Authorize the subject requests to be applicable in the event of a change in the ownership of the abutting parcel described as Tax Map Key: (2) 4-6-003:005, provided the succeeding owner has not had a lease, permit, easement or other disposition of State lands terminated within the last five (5) years due to non-compliance with such terms and conditions.
- 2. Subject to the Applicant fulfilling all of the Applicant requirements listed above, authorize the issuance of a term, non-exclusive easement to Thomas R. Brayton and Christine D.

Brayton covering the subject area for seawall purposes under the terms and conditions cited above, which are by this reference incorporated herein and further subject to the following:

- A. The standard terms and conditions of the most current term shoreline encroachment easement document form, as may be amended from time to time;
- B. The easement shall run with the land and shall inure to the benefit of the real property described as Tax Map Key: (2) 4-6-003:005, provided that when the easement is sold, assigned, conveyed, or otherwise transferred, the Grantee shall notify the Grantee's successors or assigns of the insurance requirement in writing, separate and apart from this easement document;
- C. Review and approval by the Department of the Attorney General; and
- D. Such other terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Chairperson to best serve the interests of the State.
- E. Any shoreline hardening policy that may be adopted by the Board prior to execution of the grant of easement.

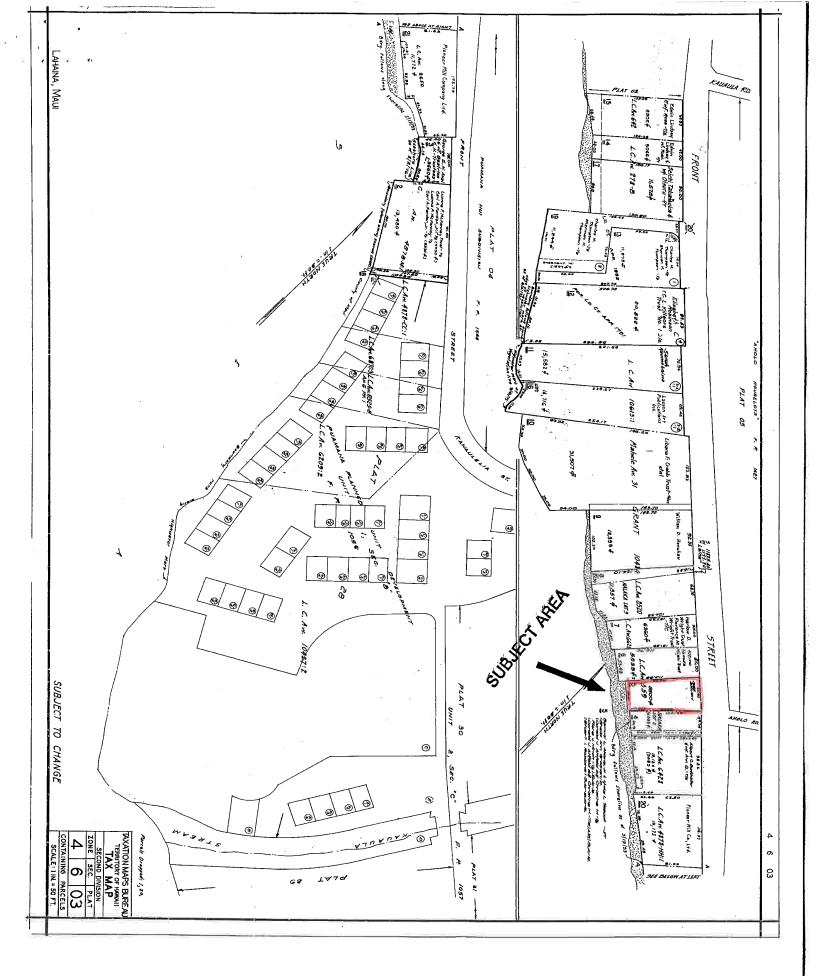
Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Ornellas

Maui District Land Agent

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

Peter T. Young, Chairperson



**EXHIBIT A** 

